

**;; COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE ;;**

**LEADWOOD**

Mrs. B. A. Rea and A. C. McMullin, are attending the State W. C. T. U. meeting in St. Louis this week.

Chas. Linza and family, of Flat River, visited friends here Sunday.

Robt. Claig, who has been training engineer here the past year, has resigned his position with the St. Joseph Lead Co. and accepted a similar position at Douglas, Ark. We regret to lose Mr. Claig and his amiable family from our midst.

Mrs. W. H. McEwen, of St. Louis, is visiting her daughters, Mrs. C. A. Page and Mrs. C. E. Miller.

Bert King's child has been very sick the past few days with diphtheria. We are glad to report that the little one is some better at this writing.

T. M. Jackson and family, of Desloge, and son, H. F. Jackson, and wife, of Blackwell, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Mason Sunday.

"Smash-up" at Rea's Drug Store in prices.

Miss Mary Ware spent the week-end with relatives at Knob Lick.

C. B. Shoults, of Fredericktown, was here the middle of last week a short time on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Francis were in St. Louis last week attending the Veiled Prophet.

Congressman M. E. Rhodes, of Potosi, was here a short time last Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb McPike returned last Wednesday from a week's visit with relatives and friends in St. Louis and points in Illinois.

Lytle Hoffman, of Farmington, was here last Thursday a short time on business.

Hiram C. Johnson, Democratic candidate for Representative, was here Monday on business and handing out a few cards.

Jos. Stretesky, of Bonne Terre, was here Monday on business.

Fresh and delicious Liggett's Chocolates at Rea's, the Rexall Store.

E. E. McComber was attending the Grand Lodge of the order of Knights of Pythias, to which he was delegate, at St. Joseph last week.

J. L. Wilson returned home last week from Annapolis, where he has been working the past month. He says wages are very low there.

Rev. J. C. Reid and J. E. Pascoe attended the St. Louis Cardinal and Lead Belt ball game at Desloge last Friday.

A. Levy, of Herculaneum visited his brother, N. Levy, and family last Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Aubuchon, of Frankland, attended the St. Louis Cardinal and Lead Belt ball game at Desloge Friday.

Prof. J. W. and Mrs. Reeves and the little Reeves spent the week-end with relatives at Webster Groves.

Guy Long, of St. Louis, who is employed in the post office there, visited his sister, Mrs. Dailey Appleberry, a part of last week.

W. C. Scott, who has been working at Potosi this summer, was here a part of last week visiting his son, Bert, and family.

J. G. Lumos, our popular furniture dealer, was in St. Louis last Wednesday on business.

50 cents buys Jontee Cold Cream Face Powder at Rea's Drug Store.

D. M. Smith, who is working at Annapolis, spent the week-end with his family here.

J. A. Robinson, of Irondale, was here Monday morning calling on the local merchants.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Mayberry spent the week-end with relatives at Bonne Terre.

J. W. Heffron has accepted a job as carpenter with the lead company at Annapolis.

Mrs. Geo. Rice and Mrs. Avon Horton were called to Irondale Monday by the sudden death of their father, Patrick McCarron, who fell dead Monday morning of heart failure.

Mrs. J. A. Evans, Mrs. S. E. Williams, Mrs. Edw. P. Karsch and Mrs. Ezra Francis are attending the Grand Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star in St. Louis this week.

Donald Goodin was a business visitor at Festus Monday and Tuesday. Miss Gladys Denton visited at Flat River the week-end.

Mrs. O. H. McCarver moved to St. Louis Monday, where she expects to reside.

The great Fall and Winter Tonic, Pepton, is found at Rea's Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tesreau, of Festus, spent the week-end with his brother, R. E. Tesreau, and family.

Richard Doyle, superintendent of the M. R. & B. T. Ry., was here one day last week on business.

Hon. David M. Tesreau, candidate for Circuit Judge of this judicial circuit, was here Tuesday shaking hands with the voters.

The hot lunch department of our schools will open Oct. 16th. Light lunches, consisting of sandwiches, with fruit and ice cream, will range

from 12c to 18c.

Prof. T. E. McIntosh will attend the State Teachers' Meeting at Cape Girardeau Friday and Saturday. Mr. McIntosh is on the program to discuss teaching of arithmetic.

The Juniors had charge of the opening exercises last Wednesday. A splendid program.

The Sophomores entertained the High School pupils Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Reid, of Flat River, visited his brother, J. C. Reid, and family Tuesday evening.

The One Cent Sale at Rea's, the Rexall Store, will be held October 19-21.

The Davis Opera Co. will present the first Lyceum number at the high school building Saturday night at 8:30. They will present the "Mikado", which is the best number that has ever visited Leadwood. They come from the Rolla School of Mines to this place. The Mothers' Club are to be congratulated on booking a company of this class for a town of this size. Admission 50c for adults, and 25c for children.

B. H. Algire is visiting his father near Potosi this week. His father was here last week and he accompanied him home to hunt a few days.

Mrs. J. C. Reid entertained her Sunday school class with a social at her home Saturday night. Light refreshments were served and a general good time was had by all.

Lester Clark is nursing a very sore hand this week, caused by falling through a show case in B. A. Rea's drug store. It took nine stitches to sew up the cut.

The boys' high school basket ball team have several games booked for the near future. The Herculaneum team is booked for the 20th of this month. They also have games booked with Fredericktown and Mayfield College of Marble Hill.

**BONNE TERRE**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Emerson, of Rivermines, spent Sunday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brewer and family, of Farmington, spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. Luther Poston, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bryan and children, of Desloge, spent Sunday here with Thos. Cook and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coleman and family, of Herculaneum, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his mother.

The Sewing Circle met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Will Washer. The afternoon was spent in embroidery work and conversation. Mrs. Oran Wilcox, of Detroit, was also present. Refreshments of grape juice, cream puffs and cookies were served. A most delightful meeting was enjoyed by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook and children, of Desloge, spent Sunday here with Mrs. Rachel Mumaw and family.

Mrs. Earl Irving, of Nashville, Ill., is here for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Green.

Joe Rice, of Irondale, was a business visitor here Monday.

Misses Mildred and Etta Moon spent Sunday in Fredericktown with relatives.

Mr. Fischer, of Farmington, spent Monday and Tuesday here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson and family, of Rivermines, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Rev. J. S. Moser and Rev. G. W. Brinkmann spent Sunday in Fredericktown.

Mr. and Mrs. Will David, of French Village, spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends.

The basket ball game played Sunday with Arniada Valley All Stars, resulted in a victory for the home team by the score of 4 to 3.

Mrs. Henry Bloom and daughters, of Flat River, spent Sunday here with friends.

Dr. Cronbaugh, of Flat River, spent Saturday and Sunday here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lawrence and daughters, of Flat River, spent Sunday here with friends.

Chas. Creely, who spent the past week here with his parents, returned to Detroit Monday.

R. F. Sale, of St. Louis, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his home folks.

Mrs. Verna Carrow spent Tuesday and Wednesday in St. Louis with relatives and friends.

Walter Dempsey, of Flat River, spent Sunday here.

Emmett LaHay, who is employed near DeSoto, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Jack Creeley has returned from a visit to Hot Springs, Ark.

Mr. Dickermann, of DeSoto, spent Wednesday here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Rurolph Stretesky, of St. Louis, spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lanham and son, Cletus, and Mrs. Thomas Politte and son, Paul, of Vineland, spent Sunday here with Austin Pratte and family.

Roy Coffman, of Flat River, was a visitor here Sunday.

Stephen Gidley and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Doe Run the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Palmer and family.

Harold House visited in St. Louis Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Cooper spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Reecer and little daughter, of DeSoto, spent Wednesday here with friends.

Clarence LaPlant was a business visitor in Flat River Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Martin Donnelly and little daughter, of Silver Springs, spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mrs. John Boehle and family.

Mrs. A. I. Schell entertained a number of friends on Saturday evening in honor of her daughter, Rosemary's birthday. Among those present were Dorothy Baugh, Dorothy Evans, Mary Kate Patton, Edna Hickman and Betty Barker. Games were played and refreshments served.

Miss Bessie Francis and Roland Macy, of Ames, Iowa, were married Wednesday at the home of Arch Francis, by Rev. Stevens, pastor of the Congregational church. The attendants were Stella Barker and Mrs. E. V. Thomure, Lettye Agnes Jones and Barrett Francis. The bride wore a lovely white canton crepe dress. The bride is one of this city's most popular young ladies. Mr. Macy is a business man of Ames, where the happy couple will make their future home. They have the best wishes of many friends for a happy wedded life.

Henry Armbruster, of Flat River, was a business visitor here Friday.

Miss Anna Overall spent Saturday and Sunday in Farmington with her home folks.

W. T. Newby, of Hazel Run, was a visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Counts, of Hazel Run, spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mason spent Sunday in Leadwood with home folks.

Mrs. Monroe Peterson and daughter spent Wednesday here with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Pratte, and family.

Mrs. Wm. Whiteknight, of Hazel Run, was a visitor here Saturday.

J. H. Brown was a business visitor in Flat River Wednesday.

Miss Verna Carrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carrow, and Harold House were married in St. Louis Wednesday. Both are well and favorably known here. They will make their home in Bonne Terre. Friends extend congratulations.

Richard Francis, of Herculaneum, spent Tuesday and Wednesday here with relatives.

Mrs. Luther Poston spent Friday and Saturday in St. Louis with relatives and friends.

Jasper Falk spent Saturday and Sunday in St. Louis with his brother, Wendall Falk, and family.

Miss Brinkmann returned to her home Friday in St. Louis after a visit here with relatives.

John Malugen was a business visitor in St. Louis Monday and Tuesday.

Misses Emma and Leota Son spent Friday and Saturday in Flat River.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Womack and family, of St. Francois, spent Saturday and Sunday here with home folks.

Misses Louise Brennan and Essie Tucker spent Sunday in Farmington.

Mrs. Peter Falk, who was operated on at the Bonne Terre hospital Friday for appendicitis, is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Mayberry, of Leadwood, spent Saturday and Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. John Radde, and family.

Stella Barker, Laura Westover and Mary Yates spent Saturday in St. Louis shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Reynolds, of DeSoto, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Counts and family.

Dailey Dodson, of St. Louis, spent Saturday and Sunday here with home folks.

Miss Bessie Varner, of Farmington, spent the week-end here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Counts, of Hazel Run, spent the week-end here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Murphy spent Wednesday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley spent Sunday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bahmeister spent Sunday here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sickmann and children spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. Pete Mouser spent several days in Perryville at the bedside of her father, who is very ill.

**FLAT RIVER**

Miss Minnie Alva Counts, of Farmington, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Barry Phillips, and family here.

Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams attended the basket ball game between the Farmington girls' team and the local team at Farmington Friday night.

Miss Dorothy Wilson and Bryan Bradley visited friends at Bonne Terre Sunday.

Misses Altha and Beulah Pierson, who are attending high school here, are spending the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Pierson, at Iron Mountain.

Mrs. F. W. Gale and daughters, Geraldine and Naomi, of Farmington, attended the homecoming services at the Christian church here Sunday.

Mrs. Harris was seriously injured Sunday afternoon when she stepped from the car in which she had been riding directly in front of another car which ran over her and dragged her several feet. She sustained a bad cut on the head but it is thought she is improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Miller attended the ball game in Bonne Terre Sunday afternoon.

Miss Golda Hahn received the Ford car which was given by the business men of the town Saturday during the Flat River sales days. Miss Hahn had on the same day received another Ford car which she won as a prize

mium for securing subscriptions to the Desloge Sun.

Wade Adams was the victim of an accident Saturday evening when a car knocked him down. But it is thought he is not seriously hurt.

J. H. Tetley and family, of Farmington, attended the anniversary and homecoming services held at the Christian church here Sunday.

Paul Brewen, who has been employed in St. Louis for some time, came home Friday and expects to spend the winter here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Brewen.

Miss Myrtle Belm returned to her post of duty in Tucker's store this week, after several weeks absence caused by sickness.

Dr. F. L. Keith returned home from St. Louis Saturday, where he had been at the bed side of his mother, who is seriously ill.

Farrill Burns returned home Saturday from Detroit, where he had been employed for the past few months.

Kenneth Kirkland is employed in the bank as clerk in the absence of Miss Blanche Beard, who is away on account of the serious illness of her sister.

Miss Ida Mae Kennedy, a nurse in the City Sanitarium in St. Louis, spent the latter part of last week here visiting her parents.

Misses Kathleen, Blanche and Ida Mae Kennedy, Marcette Bruce and Mrs. Melba Pierson visited friends in Bonne Terre Saturday.

Misses Allean Boas and Irene Brewen were Bonne Terre visitors Sunday afternoon.

A number of young people enjoyed a hay ride and wicker roast near Jennings school Friday night. Among those who went were: Misses Sybil and Grace Bloom, Ethel Smith, Evelyn Russell, Edna Hart, Edith Phillips, Edith Lowe, Bertha Lange, Biddle Arbuthnot and Letha Keith; Harry Bloom, Smith Dalton, Forest Bloom, P. E. Richards, of Flat River, and Marvin Meyers, of Farmington.

Mrs. Wm. Watts, Mrs. Frank Sturges and son, Chester, Mrs. Melba Pierson and Miss Belva Watts visited friends in Bonne Terre Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. McClure visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kennedy, here Sunday.

Mrs. J. G. Brewen and children, Lloyd and Beulah, visited Mr. Brewen at the Bonne Terre hospital Sunday.

Miss Sadie Hunt, of Farmington, was guest of Miss Pauline Rinke the latter part of last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Delcour, Wednesday, Oct. 4, a son.

Misses Ruby Smith and Leah Alper attended the football game between the local team and the Perryville team at Perryville Friday.

Carroll Leadbetter, of St. Louis, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leadbetter.

Henry Downey, of Desloge, was a Flat River visitor Wednesday.

The game between the town football team and the Farmington team ended with a score of 0-0.

Stanley Dixon, of Leadwood, visited friends here Friday.

The local girls' basket ball team played their first game Friday night at Farmington, and were defeated by a score of 31-5.

Mrs. H. Goldstein and daughter went to St. Louis Wednesday. Miss Minnie enrolled as a student in Brown's Business College.

Miss Mabel Watts was a business caller in Desloge Tuesday.

Topate Jenkinson and Bill Sachs, of Desloge, were Flat River visitors Wednesday.

Miss Essie Reid was given a miscellaneous shower Thursday night at the Y. M. C. A. Miss Reid's marriage to Truman Burns, of St. Louis, will take place some time this month.

Mrs. Chris Womack died at her home in Taylortown Wednesday morning, after a long illness.

Mrs. Jim Moore, of Womack, Mo., is the guest of Mrs. J. Anthony this week.

Arthur Womack and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Hines, of Womack, attended the home coming services at the Christian church Sunday.

C. R. Pratt has resigned his position in the Miners & Merchants Bank.

Mrs. Marion Welland, of Cantwell, visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Howell, here Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Hawthorne is seriously ill at this writing.

Dr. Cronbough spent Sunday in Bonne Terre with relatives.

News was received here this week announcing the death of Rev. J. W. Vandewalker, which occurred Sunday, Oct. 8th, at his home in Sioux City, Iowa. It will be remembered that Rev. Vandewalker served as minister of the Christian church here for a number of years.

The sad news of the death of Fred Brewen, who died in Detroit, Sunday, Oct. 8th, reached us this week. He was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brewen of this place and had spent the past four years in Detroit. The body was brought here Tuesday for burial and the funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the Catholic church. Interment was made in the K. of P. cemetery. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of the entire community.

Ralph Brewen returned home from Detroit Sunday, where he had been employed for some time.

**ELVINS**

Mrs. Geo. Crocker, of near Bismarck, was a business visitor in Elvins Friday.

Mrs. Geo. McDowell is very ill.

Burl Newcomer attended the ball game at Bonne Terre Friday.

Leon Scowden is on the sick list.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bolinger, a son.

Mrs. Emery Hargass, who has been ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller and daughters, Mildred and Dorothy, who went to St. Louis the first of this week, returned Thursday.

Rivermines, were visitors in Elvins Monday.

Mrs. H. E. Black is on the sick list.

Wm. Gale, of Bismarck, motored to Elvins Friday.

Misses Allene and Pauline Ross, of the basket ball game between Elvins high school boys and girls and the Esther high school boys and girls resulted in a score of 50 to 31 in favor of the Elvins boys and 29-27 in

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favor of the Elvins girls.

T. Shannon, of near Bismarck, visited in Elvins Friday.

James Bessinger visited in Ironton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jones, of Flat River, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Degrant, this week.

Misses Sally and Evelyn Degrant and Helen Silvey were Flat River visitors Saturday.

Misses Dorothy and Mildred Miller spent the week-end with Misses Zaida and Ruth Goodman, of Leadwood.

Pauline Crites, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crites, is very ill.

The Elvins Camp Fire girls and their leader went on a hike this week.

T. W. Miller, of St. Louis, spent the week-end with his brother, H. A. Miller.

On Thursday night Miss Hattie Reese and her Sunday school class went on a wicker roast to Pleasant Valley. A nice time is reported.

Misses Helen and Ruth Silvey and Robert Ferguson motored to Bismarck this week.

C. H. Reeves, of Flat River, visited in Elvins Monday.

Miss Ethel Holly, of St. Louis, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Robert Black, this week.

Mrs. Geo. Sikes, who has been ill, is improving.

Mrs. Willis Couch and children left for St. Louis Sunday morning to visit her husband, who is being treated at the Barnes hospital.

Wm. Wallen, of Bismarck, motored to Elvins Sunday.

C. Prichett has moved to Doe Run to reside.

Miss Mildred Miller is making weekly trips to St. Louis to study music.

Miss Bernice McClanahan, who has been visiting her brother, Jesse McClanahan, of Walnut Grove, returned home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Stringer, who went to Bunker some time ago for a visit, returned Tuesday.

Wm. Golden, of St. Louis, visited his sister, Mrs. Chas. Tinsley, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stringer, who have been living in Piedmont, have returned to Elvins to live.

Mrs. May McGehee, of St. Louis, visited in Elvins this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Robinson and children have moved to Iron Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sutton, who have been spending their honeymoon in St. Louis, returned Monday.

Ralph Allen and Lester Black visited in Flat River Tuesday.

**BISMARCK**

Lennis Hogg came down from St. Louis Saturday to visit with home folks. From here Mr. Hogg went to Cape Girardeau.

Miss Addie Hughes, of Potosi, and Miss Fern Hughes, of DeSoto, were visiting Bismarck friends and relatives the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Kness and family and Mrs. John Kness were Farmington visitors Sunday, motoring there in Mr. Kness' new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Black, two little daughters and Alfred Purcell, of Crystal City, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Black's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunter. Mrs. Black and children will remain here for the rest of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Belknap went to Bonne Terre Wednesday to the wedding of Miss Bessie Francis and Roland Macey, of that city.

Miss Andrews, the English teacher at the local high school, was in Fredericktown Sunday visiting friends.

Raymond Beard, who is employed in St. Louis, came home Saturday night for a visit.

J. C. Church, who is employed as clerk in Hunter's store, moved his family here from Leeper the past week.

John Reagon and W. H. Fletcher, of Ironton, were St. Louis visitors the last of the week.

Mrs. Zeno Welker went to St. Louis Monday for a week's visit.

Chris Grenia, who is employed at Madison, Ill., visited home folks over Sunday.

Frank Keathley came down from St. Louis Saturday, where he is employed, to visit home folks.

Mrs. Mary Walker, of this city, and L. C. Rogers, of Farmington, were married in that city Saturday afternoon. They will live in Farmington.

Wm. Keathley last week purchased the Henry Adkins property on the west side and moved into same on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Van Beek, of Batesville, Ark., stopped in Bismarck Sunday while en route to St. Louis.

Geo. Keathley and Frank Grider went to St. Louis Sunday to attend a ball game.

Mrs. G. A. Ellege went to St. Louis Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson and children, of Ironton, were guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. J. Eidson, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Eaton went to St. Louis the end of the week to visit for several days.

The Irondale basket ball team came here Tuesday evening to play the local team. The second team played the greater part of the game, but a few of the first team players were put in toward the last. The regulars put some pep into the game, with the result that the final score stood 28-11 in favor of Bismarck.

Virgil Sloan went to St. Louis Saturday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Forsahee are the proud parents of a baby boy, born last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Matkin, of DeSoto, are spending a week here, with relatives.

J. E. Burnette, of San Francisco, Calif., was guest of his sister, Mrs. Ida Kettinger, the first of the week.

**Special Notice**

As a special inducement to have everybody attend the Stock Show, we will offer many items at very special prices on these days.

**Farmington Merc. Co.**